

Hg
11/22/02

Certificate Of Facsimile

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to Group Art Unit 2832, 703-872-9318, addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date: November 20, 2002

Sonia V. McVean

PATENT
36856.801

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Takeyoshi IKEURA et al. Serial No.: 09/863,078 Filing Date: May 22, 2001 For: TRANSFORMER	Art Unit: 2832 Examiner: T. Nguyen
---	---------------------------------------

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

FAX RECEIVED

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

NOV 20 2002

Dear Sir:

LAST AVAILABLE COPY TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

In response to the Restriction Requirement issued on November 15, 2002, Applicants elect Embodiment 1: Figs. 1and 2, and Claims 1-3, 8-13 and 18-20. As acknowledged by the Examiner, Claims 1 and 11 are generic. This election is made without traverse.

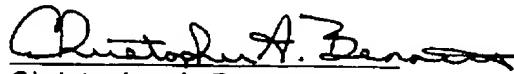
Applicants hereby reserve the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected Embodiment 2.

Serial No. 09/863,078
Art Unit 2832
November 20, 2002
Page 2 of 2

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance.
Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 20, 2002


Christopher A. Bennett
Attorney for Applicants
Reg. No. 46,710

KEATING & BENNETT, LLP
10400 Eaton Place, Suite 312
Fairfax, Virginia 22030
Telephone: (703) 385-5200
Facsimile: (703) 385-5080

FAX RECEIVED

NOV 20 2002

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

10400 Eaton Place
Suite 312
FAIRFAX, VA
Phone: (703) 385-5200
Fax: (703) 385-5080

KEATING & BENNETT LLP

Fax

To: Examiner T. Nguyen

From: Christopher A. Bennett

Fax: 703-872-9318

Date: October 20, 2002

Phone:

Pages: 3

Re: 09/863,078

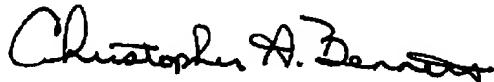
CC:

•Comments:

Examiner Nguyen,

Please find attached a response to an Election Requirement for Application No. 09/863,078.

Respectfully submitted,



Christopher A. Bennett
for
KEATING & BENNETT, LLP
(Reg. No. 46,710)

FAX RECEIVED

NOV 20 2002

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

BEST AVAILABLE COPY